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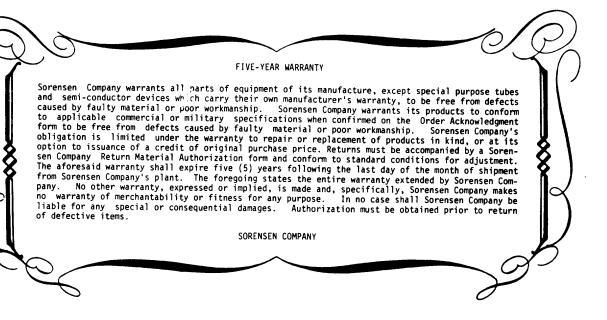
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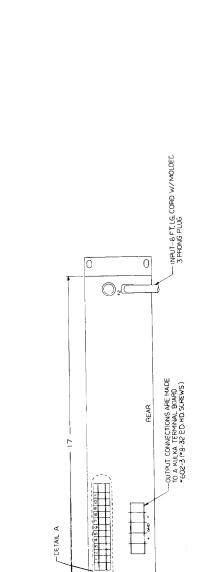


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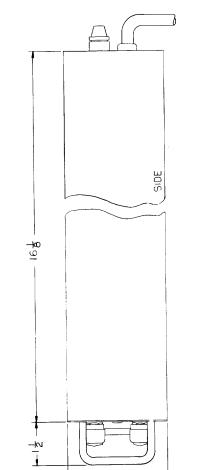
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REMOVABLE FEET

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-BINDING POSTS ARE NOT USED ON DCR 300-1.5B AND DCR 600-.75B

AVERAGE WT. PER UNIT IS 40LBS

## DCR-B SPECIFICATIONS 500-WATT SERIES

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20-25B	0-20	52	13	65	82	3.0	7.5	009	16	1/2	71	103-127	9.4	.65	.030	. 025	.075
40-13B	0-40	13	9.9	06	30	0.9	3.9	300	30	1/4	7.1	103-127	9.8	.65	.050	.040	.125
86-09	09-0	6	5	125	19	9.0	2.7	200	46	1/6	75	103-127	9.7	.65	.075	.060	.180
80-6B	08-0	9	3.3	150	12	12.0	1.8	150	89	1/8	77	103-127	8.3	.65	.125	.110	.300
150-3B	0-150	က	1.7	300	9	22.5	6.0	80	134	1/15	74	103-127	8.2	.65	.560	.530 .620	.620
300-1.58 0-300	0-300	1.5	8.0	700	4	45.0	0.45	40	270	1/30	74	103-127	8.9	09.	1.90	1.80 2.0	0:
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NOTES:

Overvoltage protector internal (optional), factory-installed. Average weight, 40 lbs. 2.

Optional Imputs: 208V, 220V, 230V (Options M1, M2, M3 respectively). At 115V imput.

# COMMON SPECIFICATIONS

General:

Regulation: 0.03% with load change (NL-to-FL or FL-to-NL) and a full line-voltage change combined Resolution: 0.05% of Eo max (typical) Drift (% Eo max): 0.1% typical, for 8 hours after 30-minute warmup with constant line, load, and ambient temperature Voltage Mode:

Regulation: 0.25% with 0-95% compliance-voltage change and  $\pm 10\%$  line-voltage change combined. Resolution: 0.05% of Io max (typical) Drift (% Io max): 0.15% (typical) Current Mode:

Series Operation: To 200 Vdc Maximum

(150- and 300-volt models — 2 in Series)

Parallel Operation: By master-slave, four units maximum Remote Sensing: 8 volts drop maximum per load lead, but not to exceed 10% Eo max

Operating Temperature Range: 0°C to 71°C

Storage Temperature: -40°C to + 85°C

Cooling: Convection
Isolation Voltage: 1000 Vdc input to output
Finish: Bonderize-Black semi-gloss with white lettering
Overload/Short-circuit Protection: Adjustable current
Ilmiting with automatic recovery Overvoltage Protector: Internal, optional

## 1. INTRODUCTION AND DESCRIPTION

## 1.1 INTRODUCTION

This manual contains operation and maintenance data on the 500-watt units of the DCR-B series Sorensen Power Supplies. It is intended to familiarize the user with the functioning of the unit, to introduce the varied applications to which the unit may be adapted, and to furnish sufficient maintenance data to assure long operating life.

Seven major sections form the manual divisions. Section 1 contains a brief functional description of the DCR-B series power supplies. Initial inspection and checkout procedures are outlined in section 2. Operating instructions, including methods for adapting units to various applications, comprise section 3. Sections 4 and 5 provide the principles of operation and maintenance procedures respectively. System drawings and the replacement parts list are provided in section 6. Concluding the manual, section 7 describes the DCR-B OVP (overvoltage protector) accessory M5.

## 1.2 DESCRIPTION

## 1.2.1 General

Designed for either bench or rack use, the typical DCR-B power supply provides a highly regulated, precise d-c output, adjustable over a wide range. It operates from a nominal 115 Vac (208/220/230-Vac inputs are available as options) and exhibits a rapid response to transients, both load and line.\*

Silicon-type semiconductors are used extensively in DCR-B circuitry, and contribute significantly to the units' wide ambient-temperature-range characteristic. Low-dissipation transistors and diodes are located on a single printed-circuit board while high-dissipation devices are heat-sinked to aluminum brackets.

All controls used during normal operation are mounted on the front panel. These include a power circuit breaker, FINE and COARSE VOLTAGE adjust potentiometers, and FINE and COARSE CURRENT adjust potentiometers. The system output is taken across a terminal pair at the rear terminal strip or from the binding posts at the front of the supply.

<sup>\*</sup>A variety of Sorensen power supply application notes are available through your Sorensen Service Representative.

## 1.2.2 Automatic Crossover.

There are two basic operating modes; voltage and current. In the voltage mode, the voltage is held constant while the current varies with the load, while in the current mode, the voltage varies, and current is held constant. The automatic crossover feature enables the unit to switch operating modes as a function of load requirements. If, for example, load current attempts to increase above a preset current limit, the unit will switch operation automatically from the voltage to the current mode. In this mode, the current will be regulated at the value preset on the front panel. If load requirements are lowered, return to the voltage-regulating mode will occur automatically. A red lamp on the front panel glows to indicate the current-mode operation.

## 1.2.3 Remote Sensing.

Terminals located on the rear-mounted terminal board offer the means of extending a unit's regulating point from the output terminals to the load. This effectively compensates for variations in the load-lead IR drop. Section 3 outlines the connections for remote sensing.

## 1.2.4 Series Operation.

For applications requiring output voltages higher than a single unit can provide, DCR-B power supplies may be connected in series (See section 3). Regulation in series operation is the sum of the regulations for all units.

## 1.2.5 Parallel Operation.

Parallel operation may be used to service those applications requiring an output current higher than a single supply can provide. Using a "master-slave" approach, a maximum of four units may be connected in parallel. An alternate method is direct paralleling. With this approach, there is no limit to the number of units which can be paralleled. The regulation will deteriorate, and could be the sum of the regulations for the individual settings plus the output-voltage differences between units at no load.

## 1.2.6 Remote Programming.

Output voltage or current of DCR-B power supplies may be programmed in either the voltage or current mode by resistance or voltage signal. This feature permits the user to change the output voltage or current to preset values from remote locations.

## 1.2.7 Unit Shutdown Circuit.

In the DCR-B line, application of the (+) sense to terminal 11 of terminal board J1 on the rear panel instantly shuts down the supply. This function can provide unit protection by connecting a temperature-or voltage sensitive switch (or transistor) in this line to shut the system down under specified conditions. A typical application is in the master-slave connection of two DCR-B supplies. If the shutdown function is applied to the master unit, system output goes to zero; applied to the slave unit, only that unit is affected, and system output is reduced accordingly.

## 1.2.8 Protection Features

Protection against the effects of overloads and internal short circuits is provided. Overload protection is inherent in automatic crossover. The main power circuit components are protected by input fuse F2.

## 1.3 OPTIONAL MODIFICATIONS

The standard DCR-B unit is designed for operation from a nominal 115-Vac input; however, units may be purchased factory-modified to accept inputs of 208, 220 or 230 Vac (modifications M1, M2 or M3 respectively).

## 1.4 ACCESSORY OVP (OPTION M5)

An overvoltage-protector circuit (OVP) is available as an accessory to Sorensen's DCR-B power supplies. The circuit may be factory-installed or purchased as a kit and field-installed. Complete installation and operation procedures are provided in section 7 of this manual.

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## 2. PREPARATION FOR USE

### 2.1 GENERAL

After unpacking, initial inspections and preliminary electrical check procedures should be performed to assure that the unit is in good working order. If it is determined that the unit is damaged, the carrier should be notified immediately. Repair problems should be directed to the nearest Sorensen representative, or to the Service Department, Sorensen Company, Manchester, New Hampshire 03103.

### INITIAL INSPECTION 2.2

Proceed as follows to inspect for damage incurred during shipment.

1. Inspect panel and chassis for scratches, dents, and chips.

2. Turn front-panel voltage and current controls from stop to stop. Ro-

tation should be smooth through a 300-degree angle.

3. Check meter faces for cracked or broken windows. Check each meter pointer for zero indication. If necessary, use adjust screw to bring indicator to zero.

4. Look for cracked or broken lenses on indicating lights.

5. Alternate power switch between ON and OFF a few times. Action should

be both positive and audible. Terminate check with switch in OFF position.
6. Inspect power input cord for obvious signs of damage. Tug lightly on

cord near chassis to assure that relief grommet grips cord.

7. Remove rear cover, and check terminal board. Make sure that links are firmly in place across terminals 3-4, 5-6, and 7-8.

8. Remove top-cover retaining screws. Inspect components and printed circuit board for damage.

### 2.3 ELECTRICAL INSTALLATION

Standard 500-watt units are shipped ready for use with a nominal 115-Vac input, but may be factory-modified to operate with nominal inputs of 208, 220, or 230 volts (M1, M2, M3 options respectively).

## 2.3.1 Input Power Cord

The input power cord terminates externally in a three-prong polarized plug. The unit chassis is wired to the plug through the line cord, and therefore, the insertion of the plug into a compatible receptacle, hooked up to a grounded input, will automatically ground the unit. If a grounded input is not available, use an adapter, making sure that the adapter's external lead is well grounded.

## 2.4 MECHANICAL INSTALLATION

As received, the unit is ready for bench use. To adapt for rack mounting, simply invert the unit, remove feet and reinstall the feet-retaining screws.

## 2.5 ELECTRICAL CHECK

## 2.5.1 Voltage Mode

To check voltage-mode operation, proceed as follows:

- 1. With POWER switch OFF, connect appropriate input power per paragraph 2.3.
- 2. Turn COARSE and FINE VOLTAGE controls fully counterclockwise, and COARSE CURRENT control fully clockwise.
  - 3. Set unit power to ON with zero load current.
- 4. Turn COARSE VOLTAGE control slowly clockwise while observing the unit voltmeter. The pointer should swing upscale, and the voltage indicator light should be ON.
- 5. With the pointer at half scale, rotate the FINE VOLTAGE control from stop to stop. The voltage should vary according to Table 2-1.

Table	2-1	DCR-B	Fine-Tuning	Voltage	Range
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Model	Fine-Tuning
Voltage	Range
10	0.041V
20	0.083V
40	0.166V
60	0.250V
80	0.333V
150	0.625V
300	1.25V
600	2.5V

## 2.5.2 Current Mode

- 1. With unit power OFF, turn COARSE and FINE CURRENT controls fully counterclockwise, and set COARSE VOLTAGE control to its approximate mid-position.
- 2. Connect approximately four feet of copper wire across the output terminals (wire sizes are listed in Table 2-2).
  - 3. Set unit power to ON. CURRENT mode indicator will illuminate.
- 4. Rotate COARSE CURRENT control slowly clockwise until a current indication appears. Continue clockwise rotation, and the meter indication will increase accordingly.
  - 5. Set unit power to OFF, and remove shorting wire.

Table 2-2 Wire Sizes, Current-Mode Check

DCR-B Model	Wire Size
10-40B	No. 10
20-25B	No. 12
40-13B	No. 14
60-9B	No. 18
80-6B	No. 20
150-3B	No. 24
300-1.5B	No. 28
60075B	No. 28

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## 3. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

## 3.1 GENERAL

This section provides basic operating instructions, and details the methods by which DCR-B power supplies may be adapted to their more common applications including remote sensing, remote programming, and series and parallel operation. Table 3-1 identifies the operating controls shown in Figure 3-1, and describes their functions.

## WARNING

- 1. Full system voltage appears across the unit output terminals both front and rear. Follow operating procedures exactly, and do not make terminal-board or load-terminal alterations with unit power ON.
- 2. High-voltage output (which may damage the load or injure personnel) and loss of current limiting (which may result in a damaged unit) can result from loosening or removing links on the rear-mounted terminal board. Do not remove or loosen any links unless specifically instructed to do so in subsequent procedures.

## 3.2 VOLTAGE-MODE OPERATION

## 3.2.1 Local Sensing

DCR-B series units are shipped ready for use in the local-sensing configuration, that is, with unit regulation ocurring at the output terminals. This may be undesirable if variations in the load-lead voltage drops are expected to be large in comparison with the unit's specified regulation. To compensate for prohibitive drops, remote sensing may be used (paragraph 3.2.2).

To operate unit in the voltage-mode, local-sensing configuration proceed as follows:

- 1. Rotate the FINE and COARSE VOLTAGE controls fully counterclockwise, and the CURRENT controls fully clockwise.
  - 2. With unit power OFF, connect appropriate input voltage.
  - 3. Set unit power to ON. Power light will illuminate.

Table 3-1 Front Panel Controls and Indicators

CONTROL/INDICATOR	FUNCTION
POWER indicator (DS1)	A white light connected across the primary of input transformer T2. When glowing, indicates that the unit power switch is in the ON position.
POWER switch (S1)	A 250-volt, 10-ampere switch used to connect or disconnect input line voltage.
TP1/TP2/TP3	Output voltage jacks: (+)/(-)/Grd
COARSE VOLTAGE adjust (R8)	A 12K-ohm potentiometer across which the reference voltage for voltage-mode operation is developed. Used to adjust the output voltage.*
FINE VOLTAGE adjust and FINE CURRENT adjust (R9/R12)	80-ohm potentiometers in series with the COARSE VOLT-AGE and CURRENT potentiometers, used to make slight variations in the output voltage or current.
VOLTAGE mode indicator (DS2)	A red light which illuminates when the unit is operating in the voltage-regulating mode.
Panel voltmeter (M1)	A meter connected internally across the SENSE terminals, to indicate unit output voltage.
Panel current (M2) meter	A meter connected in series with the negative output, to indicate unit output current.
CURRENT mode indicator (DS3)	A red light which illuminates when the unit is operating in the current-regulating mode.
COARSE CURRENT adjust (R11)	A 650-ohm potentiometer used in the first stage of the current-mode amplifier to vary the reference, and subsequently the output current.

\*Local sensing mode only. With remote sensing, indicates voltage across load.

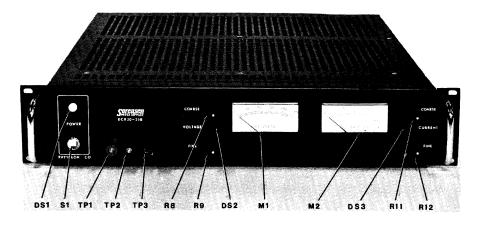


Figure 3-1 DCR-B Controls and Indicators (Ref. Table 3-1)

- 4. Rotate COARSE VOLTAGE control until the unit voltmeter indicates the desired output voltage. Use FINE VOLTAGE control for small sensitive adjustments.
  - 5. Set unit power to OFF.
- 6. Remove rear cover and connect load lines to terminals (+) and (-). Remount cover.
- 7. Set unit power to ON, and turn CURRENT control to the desired current-limiting value. POWER light will illuminate, and the unit is in voltage-mode operation.

## NOTE

With unit in the voltage mode, an increase in load-current requirements above the value set in step 7 preceding will cause an automatic crossover to the current-mode (current-limiting). The current-mode indicator will illuminate when this occurs.

## 3.2.2 Remote Sensing (Figure 3-2)

In the remote-sensing condition, voltage regulation is at the load rather than at the unit output terminals, thus compensating for voltage-drop variations in the load lines.

## NOTE

A voltage drop not to exceed 10% of full unit output is the maximum for which remote sensing will compensate. Voltage across load is equal to voltage output of unit minus line drops.

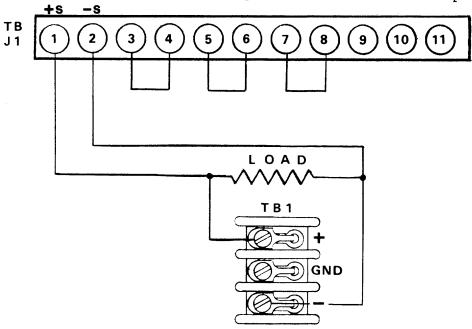


Figure 3-2
Remote Sensing Connections

To adapt unit for remote-sensing operation, proceed as follows:

1. With no load on unit, apply input power and set output voltage to the desired value; then set power to OFF.

2. Remove rear cover and disconnect red and black wires going from (+)

and (-) output terminals to (+S) and (-S) sensing terminals.

3. Run output lead from the load through the holes in the rear cover to

the (+) and (-) output terminals.

4. Connect sensing leads from (+S) and (-S) terminals to the load. Observe Polarity. To reduce stray pickup, use shielded pair (shield grounded at the supply) or a twisted pair of wires for sensing leads.

5. Remount the rear access cover and set unit power to ON.

### Resistance Programming (Figure 3-3) 3.2.3

The output voltage of any model in the DCR-B series may be controlled from remote locations by connecting a resistance (fixed or variable) into the voltage-mode amplifier reference circuit. Terminals on the rear terminal board are provided for this purpose.

The ohms/volt sensitivity for each unit is listed in the specifications. The selected programming resistor should have a low temperature coefficient ( $\pm 30$  ppm), and will dissipate approximately 10 milliwatts. Programming current is approximately 1.0 milliampere. If step changes in the programmed output are to be made by abrupt changes in programming resistance, make-before-break switching should be used.

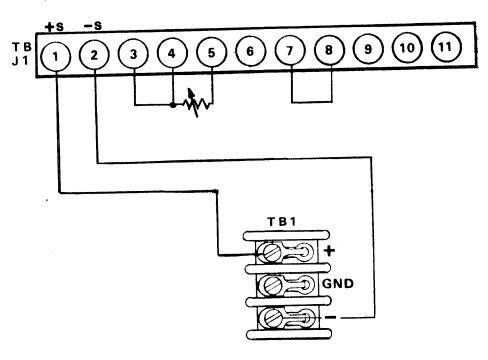


Figure 3-3 Voltage-Mode Programming Connections

To adapt unit to resistance-programming operation, proceed as follows:

1. Set unit power to OFF.

- 2. Remove link between terminals 5 and 6, and connect programming resistor between terminals 4 and 5 (Figure 3-3). Use shielded or twisted wire for interconnecting leads.
- 3. Rotate COARSE and FINE VOLTAGE controls fully counterclockwise. Set POWER switch to ON.
- 4. Rotate CURRENT control to desired limiting value. Remove input power, and connect load to output terminals.
  - 5. Set unit power to ON. Unit supplies programmed voltage to load.



If programming operation is to be discontinued, set unit power to OFF, remove programming resistor, and reconnect link between terminals 5 and 6.

## 3.2.4 <u>Signal Programming</u>

A fixed or variable voltage signal may be impressed on the voltage-mode amplifier circuit to provide a fixed or variable voltage output. The selected signal source output should be "Floating", unless the (+) output of the supply is grounded. Proceed as follows:

1. Remove link from between terminals 3 and 4.

2. Connect the signal source between terminals 3 and 1. Observe Polarity (positive end to terminal 3). Signal level should not exceed 12 volts.

## 3.3 CURRENT-MODE OPERATION

In current-mode operation, the current output is regulated at the value determined by the setting of the current controls. The output voltage varies as a function of load. To operate unit in the current mode proceed as follows:

- 1. Rotate FINE and COARSE VOLTAGE controls fully counterclockwise, and adjust COARSE CURRENT control approximately three quarters clockwise.

  2. Set unit power to ON.
- 3. Rotate COARSE VOLTAGE control clockwise until unit voltmeter indicates the desired voltage limit.
  - 4. Set unit power to OFF.

5. Connect load to output terminals. Observe Polarity.

6. Set unit power to ON, and turn current controls to desired current-regulation setting. POWER and CURRENT MODE lights will illuminate, and unit will deliver constant, regulated current to load.

NOTE

Any output instability (such as oscillations due to inductive loading) can be eliminated by adjusting potentiometer R45 on the unit PCB (Figure 6-2, page 6-5)

## NOTE

If voltage increases above the limit set in step 3 preceding, unit automatically crosses over to voltage-mode operation.

## 3.3.1 Resistance Programming (Figure 3-4)

DCR-B supplies may be programmed externally to provide a predetermined level of output current, fixed or variable. This is done by inserting the fixed or variable resistance into the current-mode amplifier-reference circuit. The programming resistor selected should have a low temperature coefficient (±30 ppm) and will dissipate approximately 0.5 milliwatt. Programming current is approximately 1.0 milliampere.

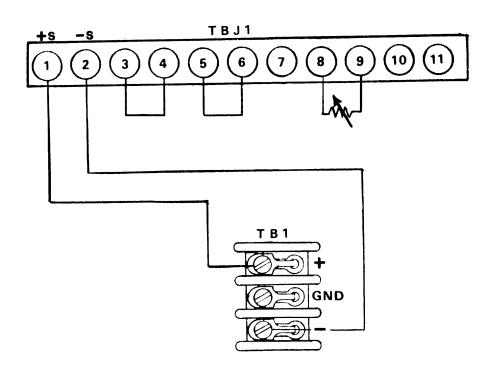


Figure 3-4 Current-Mode Programming Connections

To adapt unit to the current-mode, resistance-programming configuration, proceed as follows:

1. With unit power OFF, remove the link between terminals 7 and 8, and rotate voltage controls to mid position.

2. Insert a potentiometer (300-500 ohms) between terminals 8 and 9 (to balance the "negative offset" built into the current amplifier). Set unit power to ON, and adjust the potentiometer to the point where unit current just begins

to increase. Leave the potentiometer set at this point, and disconnect from terminal 9.

3. Insert programming resistor in series with the potentiometer and terminal 9.

4. Adjust COARSE VOLTAGE control until unit voltmeter indicates desired voltage-limit value.

5. Set unit power to OFF, and connect load leads to output terminals.

Observe Polarity.

6. Set unit power to On. POWER-and CURRENT-mode indicators will illuminate.

## CAUTION

If resistance programming is to be discontinued, set unit power to OFF, remove programming device, and reconnect link between terminals 7 and 8.

## 3.3.2 Signal Programming

The procedure for adapting a DCR-B unit to current-mode signal programming is identical to that for current-mode resistance programming (paragraph 3.3.1), except that the signal source, rather than the programming resistor, is connected across terminals 8 and 9. A floating (ungrounded) signal source capable of delivering approximately 1.0 mA should be selected, and twisted wires should be used for the interconnecting leads. For a full-range variation in unit output current, signal must have 0- to 0.6-volt range. (0 to 0.4 if using negative offset potentiometer).

### 3.4 PARALLEL OPERATION

DCR-B single-phase units may be paralleled using either of two methods. One method uses a "master-slave" approach, and the other involves direct paralleling. Each method has its advantages: in "master-slave" operation, output voltage regulation specifications are maintained, but only four units may be paralleled; with the direct method, there is no limit to the number of units which may be paralleled, and no current derating is required, but output-voltage regulation does deteriorate.

## CAUTION

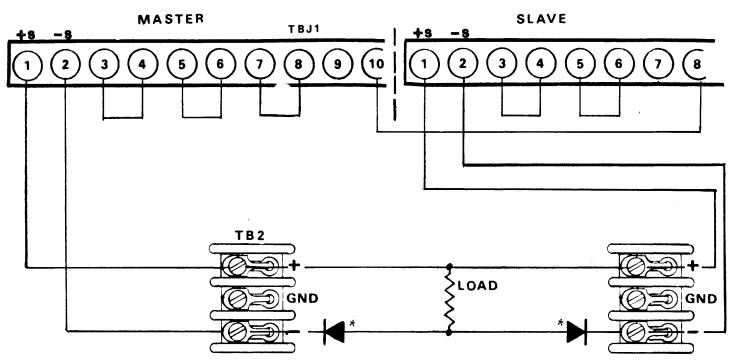
Contact the factory if unit(s) to be paralleled contain the overvoltage protection accessory (per section 7).

## 3.4.1 <u>Master-Slave Paralleling</u> (Figure 3-5)

Instructions for connecting two units in parallel follows:

## NOTE

Up to three "slave" units may be added by extending this procedure.



\*Required only when OVP (see section 7) is used on either unit. Forward diode types listed in Table 3-3 for series connection will be adequate. Heatsinking is also necessary.

## Figure 3-5 Master-Slave Connections, Parallel Operation

- 1. With no load applied, set master unit power to ON, and adjust voltage to desired system output (plus total load-lead drop unless in the remote-sensing mode) Set unit power to OFF.
- 2. Connect load leads from both units to the load. If possible, use load leads of approximately equal length. Observe Polarity.
- 3. Disconnect link between terminals 7 and 8 on slave unit. Set slave voltage controls fully clockwise. Connect wire between terminal 8 of slave unit and terminal 10 of master unit.
  - 4. Set master-unit power to ON, and then apply the slave-unit power.

## 3.4.2 Direct Paralleling (Figure 3-6)

The following steps outline the procedure for connecting two units in parallel (the same procedure may be extended to parallel as many units as desired):

- 1. At no load, adjust individual unit voltages to desired system output. Attempt to match individual unit outputs with FINE VOLTAGE controls.
- 2. Set power to each unit to OFF, and run load leads from units to load. Observe Polarity.
- 3. If remote sensing is to be used, connect sensing leads from units to load, also observing polarity. Use twisted wire or shielded pair for leads.
  - 4. Set each unit power switch to ON. POWER indicators will illuminate.

The unit supplying the highest voltage will supply the load, as it is impossible to identically match the output voltages. If the load requirements exceed the setting on the CURRENT control, this unit will automatically cross over to current-mode operation, and its output voltage will drop. The second unit will then assume that portion of the load rejected by the first. Any further increases in load will be supplied by the second unit up to its current-limit setting. Regulation, therefore, will be the sum of the regulations of the two units (or whatever number of units are being paralleled), plus the difference in the voltage settings.

## 3.5 SERIES OPERATION

## 3.5.1 Master-Slave Connection (Figure 3-7)

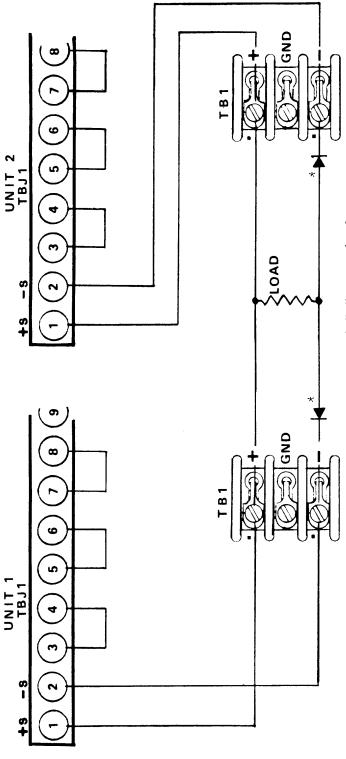
The voltage range of a DCR-B power-supply system can be increased by series-connecting units up to a total rated output of 200Vdc (150-and 300-volt models, two in series) in a "master-slave" configuration. Two 40-volt supplies thus connected provide 0-to 80-volt range capability with voltage programming of only one unit necessary. External components required are two wire-wound resistors (RA and RB in the figure), and a 15-uF bypass capacitor to eliminate noise feedthrough, for each unit except the final unit in the series, and a shunt power rectifier across the output terminals of each unit.

Assuming two supplies with the same output ratings are to be used, (consult factory for connecting dissimilar units), connect as shown in Figure 3-7. RA and RB are low-TC, wire-wound resistors of 5 watts rating or greater. Resistance values for two identical units in series have been calculated for all voltage ranges in the DCR-B series, and are summarized in Table 3-2. Recommended types of power rectifier are listed in Table 3-3 for each application.

## NOTE

For more than two units (with identical output ratings) connected in series, RB remains 10K, and RA is calculated using the formula:  $R_A=10^3~(V_O-10)/X$ 

where  $V_{\mathcal{O}}$  is the voltage of the master supply, and X is the number of units in the system.



OBSERVE POLARITY. \*For remote sensing, connect both unit "+"s and "-"s terminals directly to the load instead of output terminal board. OBSER! \*Required only when OVP (see section ?) is used on either unit. Forward diode types listed in Table 3-3 for series connection will be adequate. Heatsinking is also necessary.

Figure 3-6 Direct Parallel Connections (Shown in local-sensing mode)

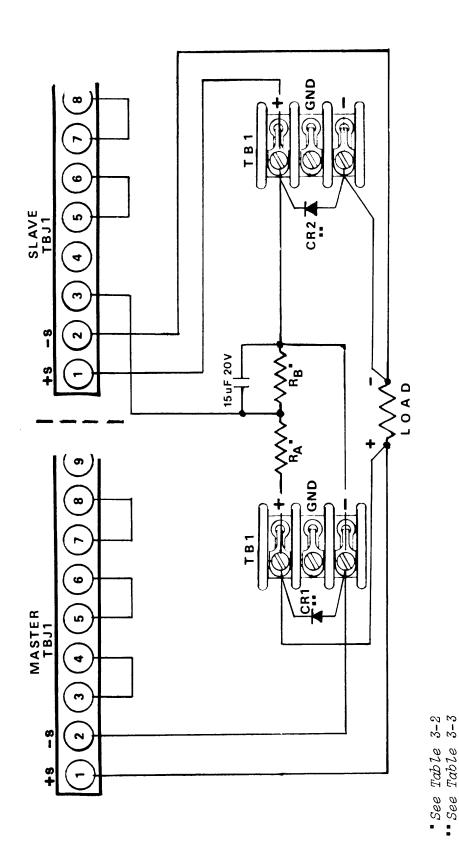


Figure 3-7
Master-Slave Connections
Series Operation
(Shown in remote-sensing mode)

Table 3-2 RA/RB Values--Two Identical DCR-B Units Series-Connected

(V) Rated	Rд	RB
10 ×	0pen	0pen
20	5K	10K
40	15K	10K
60	25K	10K
80	35K	10K
150	70K	10K
300	145K	10K
600	295K	10K

 $<sup>^{\</sup>mathbf{x}}$  For 10-volt units, terminal 3 of the slave unit is connected directly to the (+) sense terminal of the master unit.

Table 3-3 Recommended Rectifiers, Series Operation

DCR Model	Туре	Sorensen Part No.	Heatsink • Dim.(Inches)
10-40B	1N4587 1N4587R*	587571-1 587571-3	4 x 4 x 1/8
20-25B	1N1183 1N1183R*	587382-1 587382-6	3-1/2 x 3-1/2 x 1/8
40-13B	MR1121 MR1121R*	26-1046-2 26-1046-12	2-3/4 x 2-3/4 x 1/8
60 <b>-</b> 9B	MR1121 MR1121R*	26-1046-2 26-1046-12	3 x 3 x 1/32
80-6B	MR1122 MR1122R*	26-1046-4 26-1046-12	1-3/4 x 1-3/4 x 1/32
150-3B	3S12 (2)	587566-2	Non-Req'd.
300-1.5B	3S14 (2)	587566-3	Non-Req'd.
60075B	3S18 (2)	587566-5	Non-Req'd.

<sup>\*</sup>Reverse-polarity rectifiers
•Flat aluminum plate

With unit power switches OFF, connect each unit to appropriate input power source (115/208/220/230Vac). All units in the system may be connected through a common ac line OFF/ON switch. Proceed as follows:

- 1. Set the COARSE and FINE CURRENT controls of each unit fully clockwise.
- 2. Set the slave-unit POWER switch to ON.
- 3. Set the master-unit COARSE and FINE VOLTAGE controls fully counter-clockwise, and set its POWER switch to ON.
- 4. Adjust master-unit controls for desired system output level, which, in the case of two identical units, will be twice that indicated on its panel meter.

### NOTES

- (a) System output for series-connected units of different power ratings will be the sum of the individual unit voltages, at a maximum current level equal to that of the lowest unit current rating.
- (b) In multiple-unit operation, a greater time lag must be anticipated to reach full system output at each power turn-on.

## 3.5.2 Direct Series Connections (Figure 3-8)

DCR-B supplies may be directly series-connected up to a total output of 200Vdc. System regulation is the sum of the regulations of all units.

The procedure is outlined for connecting two units in series. Additional units may be connected by repeating the procedure for each.

## NOTE

Series-connected units may be adapted to resistance or signal programming.

- 1. With no load connected, set each unit to its desired output voltage level, and appropriate current-limiting value.
  - 2. Set power to each unit to OFF.
  - 3. Interconnect units as shown in Figure 3-8.

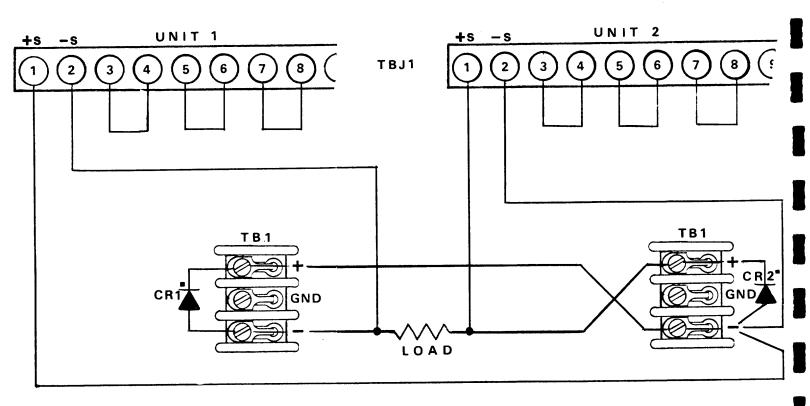
## CAUTION

Rectifiers (and heatsinks where required) must be connected across the output terminals of each unit as shown in the figure. This will prevent damage to the output capacitors. Specific rectifier types are listed in Table 3-3.

4. Set unit power switches to ON. Units operate with independently adjustable outputs, and the power to each may be set ON or OFF separately.

## 3.6 UNIT SHUTDOWN CIRCUIT

In the DCR-B line, application of the (+) sense (terminal 1) to terminal 11 of terminal board J1 instantly shuts down the supply. This function can provide unit protection by connecting a temperature-or voltage-sensitive switch (or transistor) in this line to shut the system down under specified conditions. An example is in the master-slave connection of two DCR-B power supplies. If the shutdown function is adapted to the master unit, the system output goes to zero; applied to the slave unit, only that unit is affected and the system output is reduced accordinly.



See Table 3-3

Figure 3-8
Direct Series Connections
(Remote Sensing)

## 4. PRINCIPLES OF OPERATION

## 4.1 INTRODUCTION

This section provides a basic discussion of unit operating principles which may be used in conjunction with the troubleshooting chart provided in Section 5, to enable the logical and rapid isolation of unit faults. A brief description of the phase-control principle is given first, followed by a block-diagram analysis of system functions. The function of each section is then described in detail.

## 4.2 PHASE-CONTROL PRINCIPLE

The sinusoidal wave in Figure 4-1 represents normal a-c line voltage. If, by some means, conduction of this voltage is delayed, the average voltage output will be reduced. Control of the delay then results in control of the average voltage. This is phase control, and the device causing the delay is a Triac, or silicon-controlled rectifier (SCR). The delay is expressed in degrees and is known as the firing angle. Figure 4-1 shows firing angles of  $60^{\circ}$  (shaded area plus cross-hatched area) and  $120^{\circ}$  (cross-hatched area only).

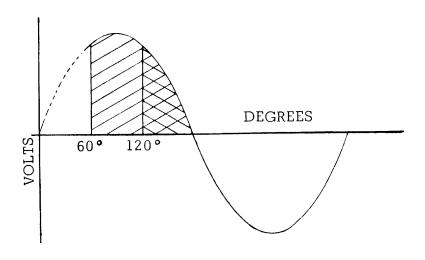


Figure 4-1 Phase-Control Firing Angles

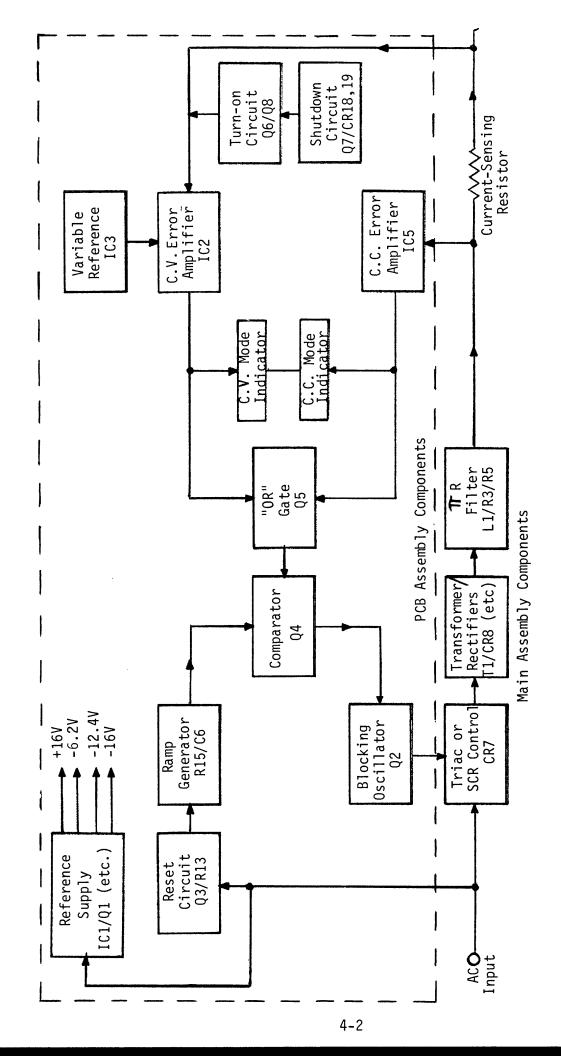


Figure 4-2 DCR-B Functional Block Diagram

## 4.3 BLOCK-DIAGRAM ANALYSIS (Figure 4-2)

The a-c input voltage is first applied to CR7 (Triac or SCR), which is in series with power transformer T1. CR7 functions with the control circuits to form a feedback loop which prevents a change in output voltage when either the line or load changes.

To accomplish this, the control circuits issue a phase-adjusted firing pulse to CR7 once during each half-cycle of the input a-c voltage. These circuits continuously sample the output voltage, which establishes the precise time at which the firing pulse is so be generated. The phase-controlled a-c voltage is stepped up or down by power transformer T1, and coupled through full-wave rectifier and filtering circuits to the output terminals.

Feedback signals from the output back to CR7 originate in constant-voltage/current error amplifiers IC2/IC5. In the constant-voltage mode, IC2 continuously compares the supply output with a reference voltage generated by a variable reference programming circuit (IC3). A difference in these voltages appears as an error signal, which is delivered to amplifier IC2. This d-c error signal is processed through "OR" gate Q5, and appears at comparator Q4 where it is combined with a ramp voltage, the resultant of which sets the conduction angle of blocking oscillator Q2. The duration of Q2 conduction is directly proportional to the error signal, and its output triggers CR7 into conduction. CR7, then acts as a switch whose firing angle is dependent on the magnitude of d-c error signal, thus controlling the overall supply output.

Similarly, in the constant-current mode, changes in line or load are sensed by R10, in series with the output, amplified by IC5, and applied through gate Q5 to comparator Q4. Output control from this point is essentially the same as in the constant-voltage analysis preceding.

## 4.4 DETAILED CIRCUIT DESCRIPTION

NOTE

All component/circuit callouts are referenced to PCB schematic diagram Figure 6-1 unless otherwise noted.

## 4.4.1 Reference Supply

The precisely regulated voltage required for operation of the control circuitry is produced by a reference supply consisting of Zener diodes CR1/CR4, operational amplifier IC1, passing stage Q1, transformer T2 (Figure 6-4) and center-tapped full-wave rectifier CR5/CR6 (Figure 6-4).

The reference supply output appears across a comparison bridge composed of divider R4/R5, Zener CR4, and R6. Error signals are sensed across this bridge

and amplified by IC1. The variable impedance characteristic of passing stage Q1 changes the level of absorbed voltage across the stage, maintaining the output at a precisely controlled negative 12.4 volts (Figure 4-3).

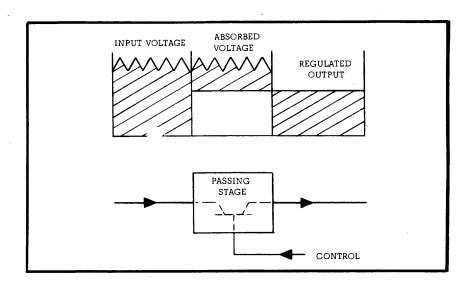


Figure 4-3 Passing-Stage Principle

To illustrate circuit operation, assume an increase in the T2 (Figure 6-4) supply output.

Pin 2 of IC1 will become more negative, and the output at pin 6 more positive, tending to turn Q1 off. The reduction in drive current increases the impedance of Q1, and consequently its absorbed voltage, resulting in precise regulation of reference supply output. Zener CR5 maintains a 20-volt reference to the control circuitry. Zener CR17 and resistor R35 provide a positive 16-volt source.

## 4.4.2 <u>Voltage-Mode Section</u>

Primary components of this circuit include constant-voltage error amplifier IC2, variable reference programmer IC3, and emitter-follower stage Q5. The circuit functions as follows:

Pin 3 of IC3 is referenced to (+) sense. Front-panel voltage controls R8/R9 (R10/R11 on higher power units) function as variable feedback resistances from IC3 pin 6 to pin 2. The negative 12.4-volt reference through R28/29/30 establishes the desired programming-current range, such that from 0 to 10 volts is applied at pin 6 of IC3.

Pin 4 of IC2 is at virtual d-c ground, and thus the current through R25 can be varied from 0 to 1 milliampere. This current, through R26, programs the supply to the desired output. IC2 pin 5 senses this output, and compares it

to the voltage developed at IC2 pin 4. The resultant is an error signal, amplified by IC2, and coupled to R16 through the emitter of Q5.

To illustrate circuit operation, an increase in system output drives IC2 pin 4 more negative. IC2 pin 11, and thus the Q5 emitter also become more negative, creating the error voltage necessary to retard the firing angle of CR7 through T1/Q2 action as noted in the block-diagram analysis.

## 4.4.3 Current-Mode Section

The primary component in this section is constant-current amplifier IC5. A reference voltage at IC5-6 is divided down by bridge dividers R46/R47 and R48/R49 to IC5 pins 5 and  $^{1}$  respectively. The resultant voltages are referenced to the positive output, t... ough a current sensing resistor (Figure 6-4), with R11/R12 (R13/R14 in higher power units) (Figure 6-4) serving as the front-panel current-adjust potentiometers.

The following is an illustration of current-mode operation. If the out-put current approaches the current-limit setting, the voltage across the sensing resistor becomes more positive. This is seen as a positive error voltage at IC5 pin 5, which is amplified and applied to the IC5 output, pin 10, and on to comparator Q4 as outlined in the block-diagram analysis, paragraph 4.3.

## 4.4.4 Ramp Generator, Reset Circuit and Comparator

The ramp generator consists of R15 and C6; the reset circuit, Q3 and R13; the comparator, Q4, CR10, R16 and R17. The ramp voltage at the junction of R15/C6 is coupled through CR10 to the base of Q4. This voltage starts at a maximum level, and decreases exponentially until reset by Q3 at 8.3-millisecond intervals. The reset pulse for Q3 is generated by CR5/R1 as follows:

The full-wave rectified a-c input from T2 (Figure 6-4) is impressed across CR5/R1. CR5 clamps the base of Q3 at its zener level, keeping it shut off. As the impressed voltage drops toward zero, the zener voltage follows, causing Q3 to turn on.

Mixer Q4 combines the d-c signal from either the voltage - or current-mode amplifier with the ramp-generator voltage. The varying output of Q4 establishes the conduction angle of blocking oscillator Q2.

## 4.4.5 Blocking Oscillator Q2

Q2 functions as a switch control, providing the triggering voltage for CR7, proportional to the error signal received from the comparator circuit. The blocking-oscillator circuit functions as follows:

Assume that at a given time, the Q4 d-c emitter voltage is several volts below the reference level provided by the reference-supply circuit (paragraph 4.4.1). At a point when the ramp voltage appearing at the base of Q4 is more negative than that on its emitter, Q4 conducts, driving the base of Q2 positive, causing Q2 to conduct. As its collector current (Ic) increases, regenerative action occurs through pulse transformer T1, forcing Q2 into saturation. Ic continues to increase along the saturation curve until the point at which Vce in-

creases. The T1 voltage then decreases, and thus also the Q2 base current. At this point Q2 comes out of saturation. Because the loop gain is greater than unity in the active region, Q2 quickly is drawn into cutoff. The cycle is then complete.

## 4.4.6 Turn-On and Shut-Down Circuits

Primary components of the turn-on circuit are Q6, Q8, R32, R33, CR16 and C10. Circuit operation is as follows:

When power is initially applied to the unit, the bases of Q6/Q8 are positive, due to the voltage across C10. Q6 and Q8 are thus in saturation. The resultant negative voltage at the Q6/Q8 collectors maintains voltage-error amplifier IC2 and the blocking oscillator/mixer circuits cut off. This action inhibits the output of the power supply from coming up. As C10 charges, the supply output will increase exponentially. Q6/Q8 gradually come out of saturation until the voltage across C10 reaches the point where they are shut off. The supply is then functioning in its normal manner.

The shut-down circuit, consisting of Q7, R36, R37, CR18/CR19, cuts off the unit output when the cathode of either diode is shorted to the (+) sense connection. The circuit function is to actuate Q7, which turns Q6 and Q8 on. When the short is removed, power supply output returns to its normal function.

## 4.4.7 Power Section (Figure 6-4)

The input a-c voltage is applied to the primary of power transformer T1 through a Triac or SCR switch (CR7). The output is rectified by a full-wave bridge, and filtered by C-L-C network, with a damping resistor (R3). The filtered dc is then applied to the output terminals.

## 5. MAINTENANCE

## 5.1 GENERAL

This section provides troubleshooting data, periodic servicing, and calibration and performance-testing procedures. The troubleshooting data should be used in conjunction with eschematic diagrams (Figures 6-1/6-4) and Section 4 which outlines the principles of operation. In addition, Figures 6-2 and 6-3 physically locate the components referred to in the text. Any questions pertaining to repair should be directed to the nearest Sorensen representative\*or to the Service Dept., Sorensen Company, 676 Island Pond Road, Manchester, N. H. 03103. Include the model and serial numbers in any correspondence. Should it be necessary to return a unit to the factory for repair, prior authorization from the Sorensen Company must be obtained.

## 5.2 PERIODIC SERVICING

Whenever a unit is removed from the line, it should be cleaned, using naphtha or an equivalent solvent on painted surfaces, and a weak solution of soap and warm water for the front panel. Compressed air at a pressure of 5 psi may be used to blow dust from in and around components.

## 5.3 TROUBLESHOOTING

Table 5-1 provides a list of malfunction symptoms along with a tabulation of the possible cause(s) for each symptom. Note that the failure of a single component may result in a "chain-reaction" effect. As additional aids to trouble-shooting, voltage checkpoints have been designated on the printed-circuit schematic diagram, Figure 6-1. X-Y plots, included in Figure 6-1, show typical waveforms developed across a number of selected components.

## 5.4 CALIBRATION

Following repair, the unit should be recalibrated to insure that replacement components have not appreciably altered performance characteristics. When calibrating, follow sequence of the subsequent steps. Refer to Table 5-3 for unit calibration specifications.

- 1. Rotate the COARSE and FINE CURRENT controls fully clockwise.
- 2. Set the unit power to OFF and remove link between terminals 5 and 6. Connect a precision ( $\pm 1\%$ ) 12-K resistor between terminals 4 and 5.
- 3. Place a precision d-c voltmeter across the output sense leads.
- 4. Set unit power to ON, and adjust R30 on the printed-circuit board (Fig-

<sup>\*</sup> See final page for list of Sorensen representatives

Table 5-1 DCR-B Toubleshooting

Symptom	Probable Cause
1 No output (voltage mode)	a) Improper input voltage b) Open fuses and circuit breakers* c) Reference voltages (check levels) d) Defective IC2 or IC3 e) Collector-to-emitter short: Q3, Q5, Q6, Q7 or Q8 f) Q2 open or shorted
2 Fuse opens or circuit breaker trips	<ul><li>a) CR7 shorted*</li><li>b) Input capacitors shorted*</li><li>c) CR8, CR9, CR10, CR11 shorted or open*</li></ul>
3 High output voltage (meter pointer pegs)	<ul> <li>a) Sensing or programming leads or link open*</li> <li>b) Defective IC2 or IC3</li> <li>c) Q4 shorted collector-to-emitter</li> <li>d) Q5 open collector-to-emitter</li> </ul>
4 No output (current mode), or unit will not current-limit	a) Defective IC5 b) C14 shorted c) CR13 open d) Shorted COARSE CURRENT poten- tiometer* e) Collector-to-emitter short: Q3, Q5, Q6, Q7 or Q8 f) Q2 open or shorted
5 Output oscillates (current mode)	Potentiometer R45 on unit PCB im- properly adjusted

ure 6-2) until the voltmeter indicates the full output-voltage rating of the supply.

5. Set power to OFF. Disconnect the voltmeter and 12-K resistor, and replace link between terminals 5 and 6.

## 5.4.2 Current-Mode Section, Limit Settings

- 1. Set unit power to OFF. Short output terminals and set current and voltage controls fully clockwise.
- 2. Set potentiometer R54 on the PCB fully counterclockwise (see Figure 6-2, page 6-5). Set power to ON and adjust R54 to the limit stated in specifications Table 5-3, upper limit set point. Set power to OFF, and remove output short.
- 3. To preset for zero output current, repeat step 1. preceding, except set voltage and current controls fully counterclockwise. Set power to ON, and adjust R53 until current-meter pointer just starts to move. This is the proper set point.

<sup>\*</sup>Chassis components (ref. Figure 6-4)

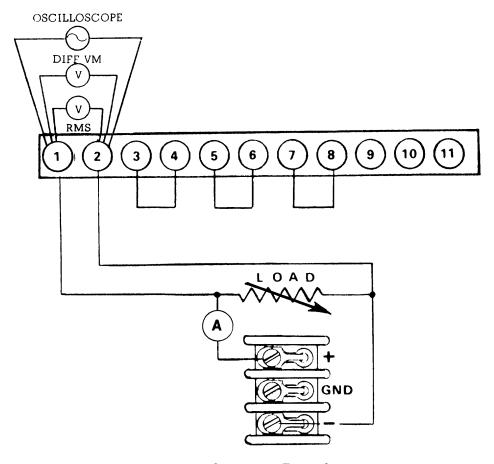


Figure 5-1 Performance Test Setup

### 5.5 PERFORMANCE TESTING

Sensitive instruments like the DCR-B require rigorous testing methods if a true performance evaluation is to be made. Wherever possible, twisted leads should be used with test equipment to reduce stray pickup. At the power-supply terminal board, these leads must be firmly held by the terminal screws. Alligator clips and similar types of connectors are not suitable. Note that the output specifications are applicable at the rear terminals only. (Front-panel binding posts may introduce errors of sufficient magnitude to influence measurements.) In addition, grounding techniques in which more than one device in the setup is grounded may introduce extraneous ripple that, although unrelated to the power-supply-output ripple, is displayed on the test oscilloscope.

### 5.5.1 Voltage-Mode Regulation and Ripple

To check voltage-mode regulation and ripple, proceed as follows:

1. Connect a sensitive differential or digital voltmeter and an RMS meter across unit output terminals per Figure 5-1. If a differential voltmeter is used, set internal voltage equal to the unit's rated output.

Use an autotransformer with a current rating that exceeds the maximum unit input current called out in the unit specifications (front of manual).

#### NOTE

Input devices such as autotransformers or line regulators can distort the input wave sufficiently to adversely affect performance measurements.

- 2. Apply low-line input per specifications, and then set unit circuit breaker to ON.
- 3. Rotate COARSE CURRENT control fully clockwise.
- 4. Use COARSE and FINE VOLTAGE controls to obtain rated output.
- 5. Simultaneously increase input voltage and load until voltage is at high line and load is drawing rated current. Output voltage and ripple should not deviate more than limits specified in Table 5-3.
- 6. Disconnect test setup.

### 5.5.2 <u>Current-Mode Regulation</u>

To check current-mode regulation, proceed as follows:

- 1. At no load, adjust output to maximum rated voltage, and set COARSE CUR-RENT control fully clockwise.
- 2. Connect a sense resistor (Table 5-2) in series with a variable load across the output terminals.
- Connect input power at low line per unit specifications. Apply load until rated current of supply is reached. Adjust COARSE CURRENT control until CURRENT mode indicator glows brightly. Adjust COARSE VOLTAGE control fully clockwise.
- 4. Connect a differential voltmeter across the sensing resistor, and note the indication.
- 5. Simultaneously increase input voltage and load until input voltage is at high line, and compliance voltage is zero. Note indication on differential voltmeter. Change in voltmeter reading should be divided by sense resistor value to obtain regulation in milliamperes. Limits are provided in Table 5-3.

### 5.5.3 <u>Transient Response</u>

Test for transient response as follows:

- 1. Connect an oscilloscope across the unit output terminals.
- 2. Set unit POWER switch to ON. Adjust COARSE VOLTAGE control for rated

output, and COARSE CURRENT control fully clockwise.

3. Apply half load, and then abruptly apply full load (or switch from full load to half load). Return to steady-state operation should occur within 50 milliseconds (typical).

### NOTE

Load switching time should be less than 3 milliseconds.

Table 5-2
Sensing Resistor Values (Current-Mode Regulation Check)

DCR MODEL	SENSE RESISTOR (Ohms)
10-40B	0.01, 50W
20-25B	0.01, 50W
40-13B	0.01, 50W
60-9B	0.1, 25W
80-6B	0.1, 25W
150-3B	0.1, 25W
300-1.5B	1.0, 10W
60075B	1.0, 10W

Table 5-3 Unit Calibration Specifications

DCR	Voltage	lation Current	Ripple Volt.Mode	Transient Deviation	Maximum Compliance	Cur. Mode Upper Lim.
Model	Mode (mV)	Mode (mA)	(mV)	(Volts)	(Vdc)	Set Pt. (A)
10-40B	3	100	65	0.6	10	48
20-25B	6	62.5	65	1.2	20	30
40-13B	12	32.5	90	2.4	40	15.5
60-9B	18	22.5	125	3.6	60	10.5
80-6B	24	15	150	4.8	80	7.5
150-3B	45	7.5	300	9.0	150	3.6
300-1.5B	90	3.75	700	18	300	1.75
60075B	180	2	1200	36	600	0.9

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### 6. DRAWINGS and PARTS LISTS

### 6.1 GENERAL

This section provides a coded replaceable parts list keyed to both the schematic diagrams and parts location diagrams (Figures 6-1 through 6-4). 6-1 and 6-2 summarize the part numbers of all identified components.

Figure 6-1 is the printed-circuit board (PCB) schematic diagram. As an aid to troubleshooting, several checkpoints are called out, with an accompanying chart depicting typical waveforms appearing at those points.

Figures 6-2 and 6-3 physically locate parts on the PCB and (typical) chassis frame respectively.

Figure 6-4 represents the 150-volt chassis (final assembly) schematic diagram, as typical of all DCR-B systems. Primary differences occur in the output section, as evidenced by the 10-volt and 600-volt representations, included on the drawing. Figure 6-4A shows 115/208/220/230V input connections.

### 6.2 PARTS LIST COLUMN HEADINGS DEFINED

Tables 6-1 and 6-2 identify parts for all units in the series, tabulated as follows:

### 6.2.1 Circuit Symbol;

Component identification on the respective schematic diagram,

### 6.2.2 DCR-B Model;

Separate column for each model in the series.

### 6.2.3 Description;

Basic item, its value and electrical characteristics,

### 6.2.4 Sorensen P/N;

The number to be used when ordering parts. Call Sorensen at (603) 668-4500, or order directly from:

Sorensen Company Replacement Parts Dept. 676 Island Pond Road Manchester, N. H. 03103

### 6.2.5 Manufacturer Type;

The basic group or series number under which the part is listed by the manufacturer. The codes identifications of representative manufacturers are summarized as follows:

AB AC AM BNS BUS CD CG CH CTS ELA EMC FD GE GI IND KEM LF MA MAL RAM RCA RCL SAN SE SEM SP SR ST STM TEL	Allen Bradly Co. Acushnet Capacitory Co. Ammons Instrument Co. Bourns, Incorporated Bussman Mfg./Div. McGraw-Edison Cornell-Dublier Corp. Corning Glass Works Cutler Hammer CTS Corporation Electra/Midland Electromotive Manufacturing Co. Fairchild Semiconductor General Electric Co. General Illuminating Co. Industrial Devices Demet Division Union Carbide Corp. Littelfuse Corporation Motorola P. R. Mallory Co. RAM Electronics RCA Corporation RCL Electronics Sangamo Electric Seacor, Incorporated Semtech Corporation Sprague Electric Sorensen Company Solitron Devices STM Corporation Teledyne Semiconductor Division
STM	STM Corporation Teledyne Semiconductor Division Westinghouse Semiconductor Division Ward-Leonard

DWG. E588300 Rev. E (Special)

# Table 6-1 Replaceable Parts List DCR-B PCB Assembly

586055-119 586250-157 586370-16 280-1145P98 280-1145P161 280-1145P161 280-1145P164 280-1145P164 280-1145P164 280-1145P164 280-1145P164 280-1145P164 280-1145P131 280-1145P131 280-1145P131 280-1145P137 586370-16 586055-120 586055-89 280-1145P134 586250-59 280-1145P134 586370-11

ELA, MF 4
ELA, MF 4
ELA, MF 4
BNS, 3389P-1-103
AB, EB
AB,

CR1 CR2 CR3 CR4 CR5 CR6 CR7 CR10 CR11 CR11 CR12 CR113 CR113 CR114 CR117 CR118 CR118

1N4745A, 16V Zener 588102-12
587565-2
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588102-13
588102-13
588102-13
587565-2
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588101-10
1N943A Zener
588105-7

MA, 1N4745A
SEM, S12
SEM, S12
MA, 1N825
MA, 1N4747A
SEM, S12

Integrated

Circuits

Op/Amp 723 Op/Amp 0p/Amp 723

586372-2 586062-1 586372-2 586372-2 586062-1

A E E A E

WC1723CL WC1723CL UA741TC UA741TC WC1723CL

J1 J2 J3

nectors:

11-Terminal

Strip

Inputs Inputs Inputs

586971-1 586288-6 586288-6 586288-6

Kulka, 670A Molex,09-52-3084 Molex 09-52-3084 Molex 09-52-3084

-Circuit

Board

586897-1

SR

10V 20V 40V 60V 150V 300V

588176 - 588

-8 -8

C1 50, 50V C2 200, 25V C3 0.0033, 200V C4 0.015, 250V C5 0.015, 250V C6 0.47, 100V C7 0.01, 250V C9 15, 20V C10 3.3, 100V C11 50, 50V C12 0.068, 250V C13 0.01, 250V C14 50, 50V C15 0.01, 250V C16 6.8, 35V C17 6.8, 35V C18 6.8, 25V C18 6.8, 25V C19 100V C19 0.01 250V C19 0.01 250V C10 0.01 250V C11 0.068, 250V C12 0.01 250V C13 0.01 250V C14 0.01 250V C15 0.01 250V C16 6.8, 35V C16 1.0, 100V C17 6.8, 25V C18 6.8, 25V C18 6.8, 25V

24-2280-12 24-2472 24-2409-4 24-2409-7 24-2015-3 24-2015-1 586385-5 587626-13 24-2280-12 24-2015-11 24-2015-11 24-2015-11 24-2015-11 24-2015-1 586385-5 586058-17 24-2037-19 586058-23 235-7188P13

SP, TE 1307
SP,30D
AX,V146XR
AX,V146XR
SE,MMK
SE,MMK
SE,MMK
SP,150D
SP,150D
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Circuit Symbol

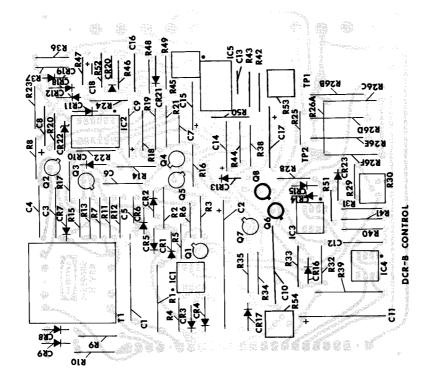
Description

Capacitors (uF unless noted)

1/2W, ±10% unless

noted -

Sorensen P/N



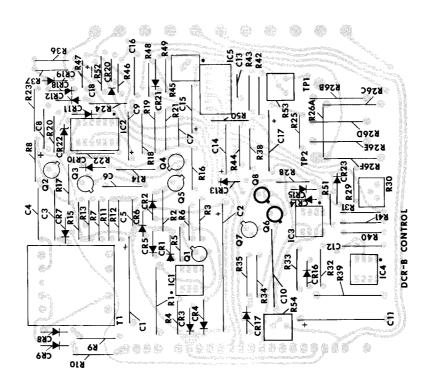


Figure 6-2 PCB Component Layout Diagram (All Models)

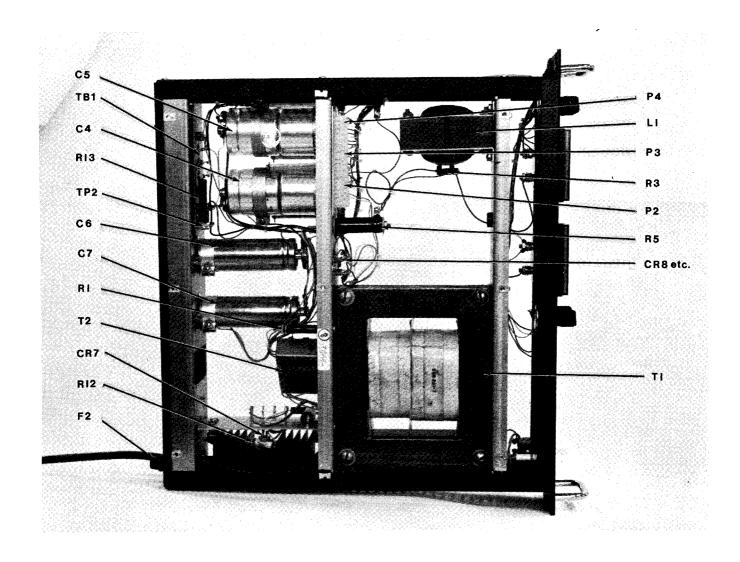
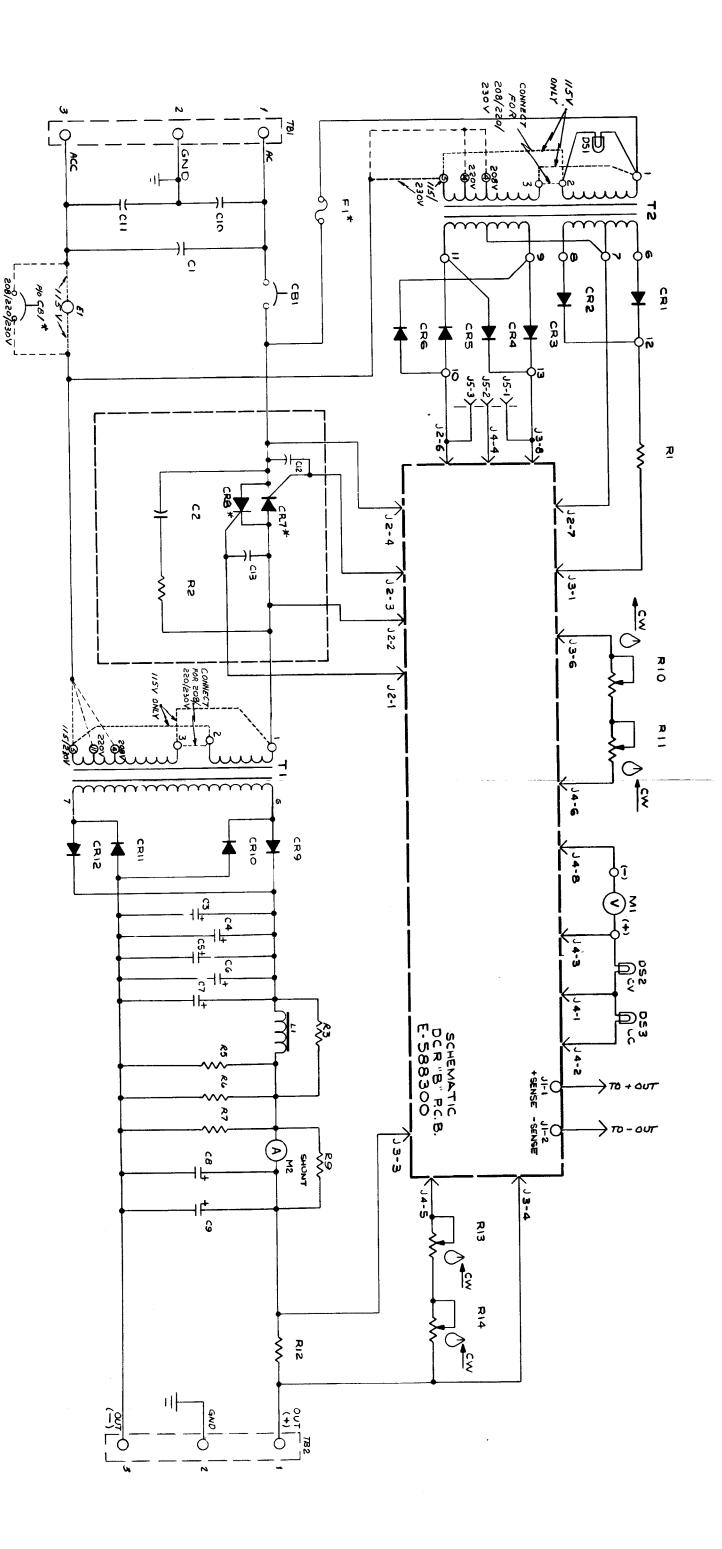


Figure 6-3 Component Layout, Typical Assembly 500 Watt Series

Figure 6-4 DCR-B Main Assembly Schematic Diagram (Typical 500 Watt)



★See Table 6-2 for 208/220/230V component values and part numbers

Figure 6-4A Typical DCR-B Schematic Diagram Showing 115/208/220/230V Inputs

Table 6-2 Replaceable Parts List DCR-B Main Assembly, 500-Watt Series

			ם	CR-	-B N	10DI	EL		 Ţ		
CIRCUIT SYMBOL							\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\		DESCRIPTION	SORENSEN PART NUMBER	MANUFACTURER, TYPE
									<u>Capacitors</u> (uF unless noted)		
C1 C2	X	X X	X X	x x	x x		•	ا د کا د کا	0,10, 600V Not used	24-2110-13	CD, PKM
C3 C4	х	x							0.01, 600V	24-2110-7	CD, PKM
L 4	х	х							32,000, 15V 9,000, 25V	587193-3 587193-1	SAN, 100 SAN, 100
			×	x					11,000, 50V 6,500, 75V	24-2595-3 24-2593-1	CD, FAH CD, FAH
					Х	x			4,200, 100V 1,100, 200V	24-2446-4 588085-5	SP, 32D MAL, CG
							х	x	510, 400V 230, 100V	588084-5 588084-3	MAL, CG MAL, CG
C5	х	х	i	i					32,000, 15V 9,000, 25V	587193-3	SAN, 100
		^	x:						11,000, 50V	587193-1 24-2595-3	SAN, 100 CD, FAH
				×	x				6,500, 75V 4,200, 100V	24-2593-1 24-2446-4	CD, FAH SP, 32D
<u> </u>						×	х		1,100, 200V Not used	588085-5	MAL, CG
C6	x							x	230, 100V 110,000, 15V	588084-3 24-2594-2	MAL, CG CD, FAH
		х	l x						66,000, 25V 19,000, 50V	24-2544-9 24-2595-4	SP, 32D
			^	х					6,500, 75V	24-2593-1	CD, FAH CD, FAH
			ļ		×	x			4,200, 100V 1,100, 200V	24-2446-4 588085-5	SP, 32D MAL, CG
						İ	X	x	510, 400V 230, 100V	588084-5 588084-3	MAL, CG MAL, CG
C7	х	Х	X	x	х	×	×	x	Not used 230, 100V	588084-3	MAL, CG
C8 C9	X X	X X	x x	X X	ľ	X X		x x	Not used Not used		
C10 C11	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	.10, 600V .10, 600V	24-2110-13 24-2110-13	AC, V146XR AC, V146XR
C12	x	x	x	x	•	1		x	.10, 200V	24-2409-13	AC, V146XR
									Diodes (Silicon Rectifier		
									unless noted)		
CR1 CR2	x x	X X			x x		X X	x x	S16 S16	587565-4 587565-4	SEM SEM
CR3 CR4	X X	X X	X	X	X	X	X	X	S12 S12	587565-2 587565-2	SEM SEM
CR5	x	х	х	х	х	x	х	х	S12	587565-2	SEM
CR6 CR7*	X X	X	X	X X	X X	X	X X	X X	S12 T6411D (TRIAC)	587565-2 588080-5	SEM RCA
CR8	x	х	х	x	x				1N1184A 1N1202A	587382-2 587393-2	WH
						х	x		3S14 3S18	587566-3 587566-5	SEM SEM
CR9	x	x	x.					х	S18 1N1184A	587565-5 587382-2	SEM WH
		^	^.	х	x				1N1202A	587393-2	WH
						Х	x	i	3514 3518	587566-3 587566-5	SEM SEM
لــــــا								Х	\$18	587565-5	SEM

<sup>\*</sup> See P6-12, M1/M2/M3 options

Table 6-2 Replaceable Parts List DCR-B Main Assembly, 500-Watt Series

			D	CR-	ВМ	ODE	L		-				T
CIRCUIT SYMBOL								7	DESCRIPTION	SORENSEN PART NUMBER	MANUFACTURER, TYPE		
											Diodes (Silicon Rectifier unless noted) (cont'd)		
CR10	х	x	x	x	х	х	x				1N1184A 1N1202A 3S14 3S18	587382-2 587393-2 587566-3 587566-5	WH WH SEM SEM
CR11	x	х	х	x	x	x	x	X			S18 1N1184A 1N1202A 3S14 3S18	587565-5 587382-2 587393-2 587566-3 587566-5	SEM WH WH SEM SEM
CR12	x	×	x	×	x	x	х	Х		ĺ	S18   Not used	587565-5	SEM
CR13	x	×	x	х	x	х	х	Х			S18   Not used	587565-5	SEM
CR14	×	x	x	x	х	х	x	X			S18   Not used	587565-5	SEM
CR15	x	×	x	×	x	x	x	×			S18   Not used	587565-5	SEM
								×			S18	587565-5	SEM
											Pilot Lamps		
DS1 DS2 DS3	x x x			Power Voltage Current	43-357 43-358 43-358	IND GI GI							
F1*	x	x	x		×		x	×			<u>Fuses</u> 0.2A, 250V, (SB)	42-1203	BUS, MDL15
F2*	×	×	×	×	×	×	X	×			15A, 250V	42-1811	BUS, ABC15
					Ì					i	Choke Assembly		
L1	x	X	x	X	X	×	X	××			DC DC DC DC DC DC DC DC C DC RFI (Optional)	588208-1 588208-2 588209-1 588209-2 588209-3 588229-1 588209-4 588207-1 588181-1	SR SR SR SR SR SR SR SR SR

 $<sup>\</sup>star$  See P6-12, M1/M2/M3 options

Table 6-2 Replaceable Parts List DCR-B Main Assembly, 500-Watt Series

			DCR	-B	MOD	EL			_	<del></del>			
CIRCUIT SYMBOL									DESCRI	PTION	SORENSEN PART NUMBER	MANUFACTURER, TYPE	
M1	x	>								Panel Meters (VM)		94-579-1 94-579-2	AM, AR-2 AM, AR-2
M2	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	×		(Ammeter)		94-579-3 94-579-4 94-579-5 94-579-6 94-579-7 94-579-8 94-462-10 94-462-6 94-462-4 94-464-3 94-462-2 94-462-1 94-462-1	AM, AR-2 AM, AR-2
			 							Resistors (ohm unless no			
R1 R2 R3	X X X	x x	x x	x x	x	x x	x	X		1.5K, 10W 150, 2W 0.68, 6.5W, ±5% 1.5, 12.5W, ±5% 1.0, 6.5W, ±5% 2.2, 6.5W, ±5%		27-541 280-1147P44 586054-11 27-590-29 586054-13 586054-17	WL, 10F1500 AB, HB RCL, T-5 WL, 12.5X RCL, T-5 RCL, T-5
R4 R5	x	x	х	x	x	x x	x	x x		3.3, 6.5W, ±5% 15, 6.5W, ±5% 22, 6.5W, ±5% 150, 6.5W, ±5% 0.68, 6.5W Not used		586054-19 586054-27 586054-29 586054-39 586054-11 27-807	RCL, T-5 RCL, T-5 RCL, T-5 RCL, T-5 RCL, T-5
K5	*	x	х	x	x	x	x			5, 50W 20, 50W 75, 50W 150, 50W 250, 50W 1.0K, 50W 4.0K, 50W		27-1041 27-842 27-875 27-813 27-863 27-1018	WL, 70/50T-5 WL, 50F20WL WL, 70/50F7.5 WL, 50F150 WL, 70/50F250 WL, 70/50F1000 WL, 50F4000
R6 R7	x x	x	х	x	x	x	x	x		7.5K, 50W Not used 7.5K, 25W 50A Shunt		27-737 27-737 588151-1	WL, 25F7500 WL, 25F7500 RAM,63L53-50A-50
R8 R9 R10	x x x	X X X					X X X	X X X		Not used 12K, 2W, VAR 80, 2W, VAR 0.01 0.016		29-590 29-593 588282-1 588288-1	CL, 43 CL, 43 SR SR
			x	x	x	x	×			0.031 0.045 0.067 0.135 0.275		588289-1 588287-1 588286-1 588285-1 588284-1	SR SR SR SR SR
R11 R12 R13	x	x x x	x	X		×		X X X		0.540 650, 2W, VAR 80, 2W, VAR Not used		588283-1 589336-1 29-593	SR CL, 43 CL, 43
						x	x	x		0.33, 12.5W(W/W 1.5, 12.5W (W/W 6.8, 12.5W (W/W	)	27-590-13 27-590-29 27-590-45	WL, 12.5X WL, 12.5X WL, 12.5X

<sup>\*</sup> See P6-12, M1/M2/M3 options

### Table 6-2 Replaceable Parts List DCR-B Main Assembly, 500-Watt Series

	DCR-B MODEL						EL				MANUFACTURER
CIRCUIT SYMBOL									DESCRIPTION	SORENSEN PART NUMBER	MANUFACTURER, TYPE
\$1	X	х	х	x	х	x	х	x	Power Switch	45-169	CH, 250V, 10A
T1 T2	x	x	x	x	×	X	××	××	Transformers  R/I R/I R/I R/I R/I R/I R/I Control	588281-1 588281-2 588281-3 588281-4 588281-5 588281-6 588281-7 588240-1	SR SR SR SR SR SR SR SR SR
	X X	x	x	x	×	x	×	×	Miscellaneous  RF Choke and Heatsink Assembly  Control Knobs (4)  Schematic Diagrams, Main Assy. 10-40B	588179-1 42-274 PCB Assy. No. 588176-1 588176-2 588176-3	SR SR
J2 J3 J4 J5	××××	××××	××××		×××××××××××××××××××××××××××××××××××××××	х	×××××××××××××××××××××××××××××××××××××××	×××	60-9B D588328 80-6B D588329 150-3B D588324 300-1.5B D588325 60075B D588326 Chassis Connectors PCB Interface PCB Interface PCB Interface OVP (3 Ckt.)	588176-4 588176-5 588176-6 588176-7 588176-8 586287-5 586287-5 586287-5 586287-5 587008-2	Molex, 09-50 Molex, 09-50 Molex, 09-50 Molex, 09-57-10
TB1	×		x	х	×				Pin Connectors for P2/P3/P4, 2 required Output terminal board		Molex, 09-57-13 Kulka, 60z
CR7 F1 F2	X X X	x x x	х	х	х	х	х	х	*For 208-/220-/230-volt inputs: (options M1/M2/M3/ respectively) T6411M (TRIAC) 0.1A, 250V (SB) 8A, 250V, (3AB)	588080-6 226-7177P32 42-1808	RCA BUS, MDL BUS, ABC-8

## 7. OVERVOLTAGE ACCESSORY

### 7.1 GENERAL

The Sorensen DCR-B overvoltage protectors (OVP), available as optional equipment, are designed specifically to protect voltage-sensitive loads such as integrated and discrete solid-state circuitry from damage due to overvoltage conditions.

The OVP's comprise a fast-response silicon-controlled rectifier (SCR) crowbar, triggered by a signal from a solid-state voltage comparator that is continually monitoring the power-supply output voltage. If this output level exceeds the preset trip level of the OVP module, a firing signal is applied to the SCR crowbar, and the output voltage is reduced to 2.5 volts or less within 50 microseconds, protecting the load from possible damage.

Figure 7-1 defines the physical characteristics of the module, and Figure 7-2 details the component layout of the printed-circuit board (PCB), including a schematic diagram of the system. Tables 7-1/-2/-3 list replaceable OVP parts.

### 7.2 INSTALLATION

The OVP's are designed to be attached to fixed, threaded studs at the rear of the DCR-B supply, using the hardware supplied. The installation is as follows:

- 1. Remove access cover, rear panel, and top cover.
- 2. Place spacers on the three PCB mounting studs (terminal strip side of the rear chassis cutout).
- 3. Place fiber washers, and then shoulder washers on the two remaining mounting studs.
- 4. Mount the OVP so that J1 on the PCB aligns with the 3-pin connector (J5) on the rear chassis.
- 5. Run OVP leads through the heatsink cutout, and along the chassis edge to the output terminals.
- 6. Secure the OVP:
  - A. PCB: use a flat washer and locking nut on each of the three mounting studs.

B. Heatsink: use a shoulder washer, flat washer and locking nut on the two remaining mounting studs.

HEATSINK MUST BE INSULATED FROM CHASSIS.

- 7. Connect the gray wire to the positive output terminal, and the white wire to the negative output terminal.
- 8. Turn the OVP potentiometer (R3, Figure 7-1) fully clockwise.
- 9. Replace top cover, rear panel and access cover.

### 7.3 OVP ADJUSTMENT

After installation, the OVP operating point is set as follows:

- 1. With OVP potentiometer R3 (accessible through aperture in rear panel) fully clockwise, set unit power to ON, and adjust front-panel control to the desired trip point as indicated on the unit voltmeter.
- 2. Adjust R3 slowly counterclockwise until the OVP trips. Leave R3 in this position.
- Set unit power to OFF, and turn front-panel voltage control counterclockwise away from the trip point.
- 4. Apply unit power and adjust the supply output voltage to the desired operating level.

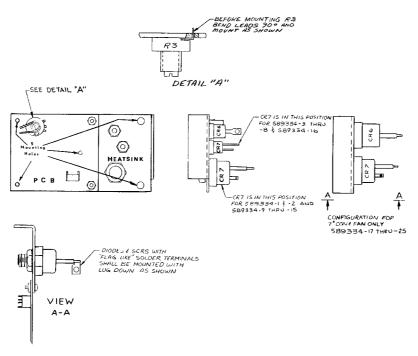
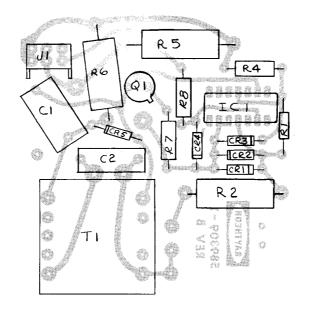


Figure 7-1 OVP Assembly Component Layout



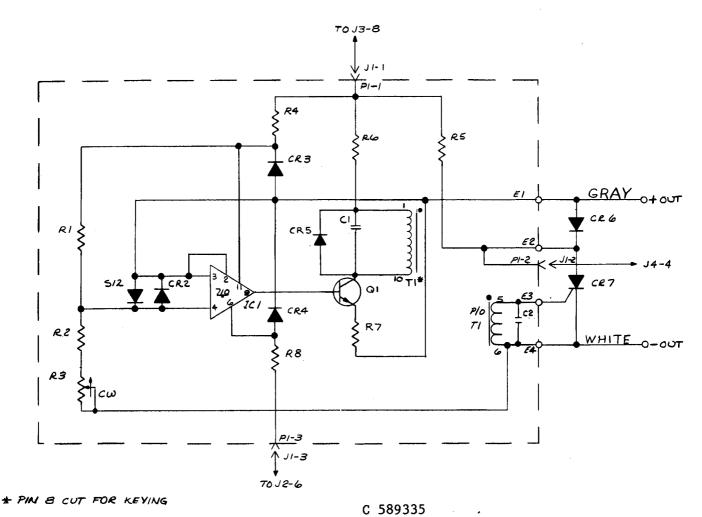


Figure 7-2
OVP PCB Schematic and Assembly Drawings

### Table 7-1 Replaceable Parts List DCR-B OVP

Circuit Symbol	Description	Sorensen Part No.	Mfr./Type
Capacitors			
C1 C2	0.1uF, 250V 0.47uF, 100V	24-2015-13 24-2037-15	Seacor, MMK Seacor, MMK
Diodes			
CR1 CR2 CR3 CR4 CR5 CR6	S12 S12 1N5242B 1N753/1N5234B S12 1N1184A (500W/1000W) 1N4587 (1800W/2700W) (See Tables 7-2/7-3)	587565-2 587565-2 588101-15 588101-9 587565-2 587382-2 587571-5	Semtech Semtech Motorola Motorola Semtech Westinghouse Westinghouse
IC1	Int. Ckt. 710	386-7277P4	TI, SN72710CN
01	Transistor, 2N2222A	386-7249P57	RCA
Resistors			
R1 R2 R3 R4 R5 R6 R7 R8	11.5K, 1/8W, 1% 2.2K, 2W, 10% (2W Potentiometer) 10V	586055-125 280-1147P86 589337-17 589337-21 589337-22 589337-23 589337-25 589337-27 589337-27 589337-29 280-1145P77 586054-43 280-1145P14 280-1145P90	Electra MF4 A. Bradley HB  Bourns, 3859A-166 A. Bradley EB RCL T-5 A. Bradley HB A. Bradley EB A. Bradley EB
T1	Pulse Transformer	589333-1	N/A
J1	PCB Connector	588893-1	Molex 09-52-3032

Table 7-1 (cont'd)

Miscellaneous: OVP Assembly	Sorens	Sorensen Part Numbers					
<u>Unit Voltage</u>	500W	1000W	1800W/2700W				
10V 20V 40V 60V 80V 150V 300V 600V	589334-1 589334-2 589334-3 589334-4 589334-5 589334-6 589334-7 589334-8 ard Assembly	589334-9 589334-10 589334-11 589334-12 589334-13 589334-14 589334-15 589334-16	589334-17 589334-18 589334-19 589334-20/21 589334-22 589334-23 589334-24 589334-25				
Unit Voltage	Ass'y No.	<u>Unit Voltage</u>	Ass'y No.				
10V 20V 40V 60V	589308-1 589308-2 589308-3 589308-4	80V 150V 300V 600V	589308-5 589308-6 589308-7 589308-8				

### Table 7-2 OVP-CROWBAR RECTIFIER CR7 (500/1000W SERIES)

Unit Voltage	Description	Sorensen Part No.	Mfr./Type
10, 20V	75V PIV	26-1161-2	GE C45F
40, 60, 80V (500W)	150V PIV	26-178-3	GE 2N683C
40, 60, 80V (1000W)	150V PIV	26-1161-3	GE C45A
150V (1000W)	300V PIV	26-1161-5	GE C45B
150, 300V (500W)	500V PIV	26-178-6	GE 2N688C
300V (1000W)	500V PIV	26-1161-8	GE C45D
600V	1000V PIV	26-1159-6	GE C137P

### Table 7-3 OVP-CROWBAR RECTIFIER CR7 (1800/2700W SERIES)

Unit Voltage	Description	Sorensen Part No.	Mfr./Type
10, 20, 40V	SCR (2N1792)	589339-2	GE C52F
60, 80V	SCR (2N1793)	589339-3	GE C52A
150, 300V	SCR	589339-9	GE C52E
600V	SCR	589339-11	GE C52S

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